

Specialist 2, but determined that the remainder of his experience was not applicable. Therefore, he would need an additional four months of experience to qualify for the examination.

On appeal, the appellant highlights his provisional service in the title under test and maintains that he has been performing the required duties for three years.

N.J.A.C. 4A:4-2.6(a) provides that applicants shall meet all requirements specified in the promotional examination announcement by the closing date. *N.J.A.C.* 4A:1-1.2(c) provides that a rule may be relaxed for good cause in a particular circumstance in order to effectuate the purpose of Title 11A, New Jersey Statutes.

CONCLUSION

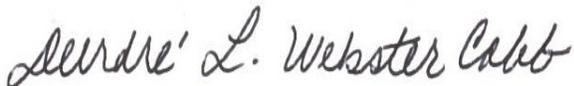
In the present matter, a review of the documentation demonstrates that initially, Agency Services correctly determined that the appellant was not eligible for the subject examination. As of the announced closing date, the appellant only had two years and eight months of applicable experience and he would need an additional four months to establish eligibility for the subject examination. However, the subject examination has been cancelled since the appellant was the only applicant and he continues to serve provisionally in the title under test. As such, good cause exists to accept the appellant's provisional experience after the closing date and admit him to the subject examination. He now has more than three years of the required experience.

ORDER

Therefore, it is ordered that this appeal be granted, the examination cancellation be rescinded, and the appellant's application be processed for prospective employment opportunities only.

This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in a judicial forum.

DECISION RENDERED BY THE
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION ON THE
2nd DAY OF MAY, 2018



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